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General Comment:public comment on federal register of 4/20/06 vol 71 #76 pg 20353 usda ams 7 cfr part 1290 dkt fv06 1290-1 PR grants for specialty crops from general tax dollars omb 0581-new rin 0581-ac59 i would like to see a copy of the cost benefit analysis of this use of tax dollars, which i do not think is a good program. it is just another way for more bureaucracy at usda, which specializes in bureaucracy. i think records should be retained for seven years, so that the fraud can be found. throwing out records when irs requires them for seven years minimum is an aid to fraud. i note that when gao recently investigated a usda program, it found substantial fraud among agribusiness in collecting tax dollars for doing nothing. i see absolutely no reason to ever pay large farms one penny of tax dollars. let me also note that the present agribusiness profiteers these days are guilty of horrible animal abuse and terrible toxic chemical use in growing plants. this kind of anti-human action is lamentable and deplorable and indeed needs to be stopped entirely.

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